CHAPTER 93

INSURANCE

HOUSE BILL 09-1102

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also SENATOR(S) Scheffel, Newell, Bacon, Carroll M., Foster, Gibbs, Heath, Hudak, Shaffer B., Spence.

AN ACT

CONCERNING THE STUDY OF THE PORTABILITY OF HEALTH INSURANCE AFTER A POLICYHOLDER IS SEPARATED FROM EMPLOYMENT.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 10-16-221, Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION to read:

10-16-221. Health care task force - creation - duties - repeal. (2.7) During the 2009 interim, the task force shall study and make recommendations concerning the portability of health insurance after a policyholder has been separated from employment.

SECTION 2. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: April 3, 2009

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.